

Railroad Talk.

The railroad rumors we have been speaking about are taking shape, as will be seen from an article in this issue from the Greenville News.

We were in hopes our people would see the advantages to be derived from this line crossing on this side the mountains and would pull for it to come over and go by this place and on to Anderson.

Of course, if they do link up with Oliver and the G. & K., there will be no use to try to swing a branch line this way.

We were hopeful that something would be done so that the upper section could be benefited, and at the same time help Pickens. It now looks as if the Oolenov valley will get an outlet and Pickens not be helped.

Philosopher and poet are alike in the verdict that the safety and perpetuity of any nation lies in the homes of its people.

The girl with a sweet little voice need not feel discouraged because she has no opportunity to sing in grand opera. She can give great pleasure by being a songbird in the home nest.

The real business of life is the making of a happy home. When you come to sift the whole chaff of existence, everything goes to the wind but the happiness we have had at home.

There are six secular nights in each week. Out of the six some men spend one at home and five at lodge, while others spend five at home and one at lodge. In which class shall we register your name?

Many of us miss the joys that might be ours by keeping our eyes fixed on those of other people. No one can enjoy his own opportunities for happiness while he is envious of another's. We lose a great deal of the joy of living by not cheerfully accepting the small pleasures that come to us every day.

A man who has made a happy home for his wife and children, no matter what he has not done in the way of achieving wealth and honor—if he has done that he is a grand success. If he has not done that, and it is his own fault, though he be the highest in the land, he is a most pitiable failure. We wonder how many men in the mad pursuit of gold, which characterizes the age, realize that there is no fortune which can be left to their families as great as the memory of a happy home.

Who Will Help?

At the last meeting of the Law and Order League of Pickens county, it was agreed that the best thing that we could do to get the county thoroughly organized for law enforcement would be to get Rev. J. L. Harley, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of South Carolina, to make a speaking campaign of the county. Let him give a day in each township, making one or more talks in each township. We have secured Bro. Harley's services for September 17-24 inclusive. He will speak in the townships in the following order: Easley Sept. 17th; Dacusville, 18th; Pumpkintown, 19th; Eastatoe, 20th; Hurricane, 21st; Central, 22d; Liberty, 23d; Pickens, 24th. The place and hour will be announced in next week's paper.

On Monday the 25th we ex-

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE LIBERTY BANK,

Located at Liberty, S. C., at the close of business Sept. 1, 1911.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts..... \$73,350 78	Capital Stock Paid In..... \$25,000 00
Overdrafts..... 50 01	Surplus Fund..... 2,250 00
Furniture and Fixtures..... 1,834 18	Undivided Profits, less Current Ex-
Banking House..... 1,543 82	penses and Taxes Paid..... 3,837 61
Due from Banks and Bankers..... 3,911 39	Individual Deposits..... 8,034 29
Currency..... 1,072 00	Time Certificates of Deposit..... 20,538 82
Gold..... 205 00	Cashier's Checks..... 1 15
Silver and other Coin..... 477 39	Bills Payable, including Certificates
Checks and Cash Items..... 51 50	for Money Borrowed..... 22,500 00
Total..... \$82,156 87	Total..... \$82,156 87

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, ss.
COUNTY OF PICKENS.
Before me came H. C. Shirley, Cashier of the above named bank, who, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is a true condition of said bank, as shown by books of said bank.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of Sept. 1911.
(Seal.) W. H. CHAPMAN Notary Public S. C.
Correct—Attest:
W. T. O'DELL,
F. B. MORGAN, Directors.
J. N. MORGAN

pect to have a meeting of representatives from each township for the purpose of perfecting the organization of the Law and Order League of our county. Let every one who is in favor of law enforcement talk up these meetings. There is no man in South Carolina better posted on some of the evils that are working for the wreck and ruin of our homes and country, than the Rev. J. L. Harley. Capt. J. T. Taylor says that he is one of the most interesting speakers he ever heard. A. H. Best, Pres.
E. H. Craig, Sec.

And Major Archibald Butt.
Among those present at the White House reception were the vice-president, the Japanese ambassador and the president's military aide, Major Archibald Butt.—Press dispatch.

Whatever the kind of function That is given by President Taft.

With the names of the guests in conjunction.

The best of the lot follows—Ambassador Muggins and Minister Juggins.

The great Danish general, Knutt.

The Prince of Bolivia, the Duke of Valdivia.

AND
Major Archibald Butt.

'Twas a grand old scene in the White House.

When the Japanese admirals admirals met;

There were jewels that shone like a lighthouse.

And uniforms showier yet.

There was Hashemore Togo and General Nogo.

Saki and Taki and Tutt.

Hakasuchi, Takamuchi, Yogi and Jogi.

AND
Major Archibald Butt.

Congressman Wilkins and Senator Bilkins.

Congressmen fresh from the West;

Supreme Justice Jiggers, Attorney McSniggers.

Washington clerks and the rest.

Foreign nobility, domestic civility.

The populace all in a glut;

Chief of Staff Woods and Millionaire Goods.

AND
Major Archibald Butt.

—N. Y. Journal

PICKENS 'CHOO.

Pickens High and Graded schools will open in the 1911-1912 session on Monday September 11th, 1911.

All students are requested to assemble at the school building promptly at 9 o'clock a. m., on September 11th, bringing with them their books of last session. This will be the day of enrollment. Each and every pupil will be required to bring on entrance day an incidental fee of \$1.00. This fee must be paid at the entrance of the pupil and is necessary to meet the operating expenses of the school.

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Sept. 5, 11.

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State of South Carolina,
County of Pickens,
By J. B. Newberry, Probate Judge.
Whereas, Mrs. M. A. Dobson and W. A. Dobson made suit to me to grant them letters of Administration with the will annexed of the Estate and effects of J. T. Dobson.

These are therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said J. T. Dobson deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Pickens on the 7th day of Sept. 1911 next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand this 19 day of Aug. Anno Domini 1911.

J. B. Newberry,
J. P. P. C.

J. E. BOGGS W. E. FINDLEY

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Dentist

Liberty, S. C.

Practice at Central every Wednesdays.

Castle Hall

Pickens Lodge No. 123

K. of P.,

Stated convention 8:30 p. m., Monday evening after the 1st and 3d Sunday.

Work ahead for all the Ranks.

All visitors cordially invited.

By order of J. L. VALLEY, C. C.

SAM B. CRAIG, K. of R. and S.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

All persons holding claims against the estate of the late Ivy Clinton Cannon deceased, must present the same duly proven on or before the 15th day of Sept. 1911, or be barred by payment, and all persons indebted to said estate must make payment on or before the above date to the undersigned.

William Cannon,
Executor.

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